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Invention: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INCORPORATING GRAPHICS INTO ABSORBENT ARTICLES

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

In response to the Office Action of November 16, 2005, made final, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.